

## FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION Washington, DC 20463

December 24, 1996

Roger M. Witten, Esquire Wilmer, Cutler & Pickering 2445 M. Street, N.W. Washington, D.C. 20037-1420

RE:

**MUR 4594** 

China Airlines

Dear Mr. Witten:

This is in response to your letter dated December 23, 1996, which we received on that same date, requesting an extension until February 14, 1997, to respond to the Commission's Reason to Believe letter, Subpoena to Produce Documents, and Order to Submit Written Answers. After considering the circumstances presented in your letter, the Office of the General Counsel has granted the requested extension. Accordingly, your response is due by the close of business on February 14, 1997.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 219-3690.

Sincerely,

Mary Ann Bumgarner Assistant General Counsel

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